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Submitted herewith please find 8 sheets of formal drawings. The Examiner is respectfully requested to acknowledge receipt of these formal drawings.

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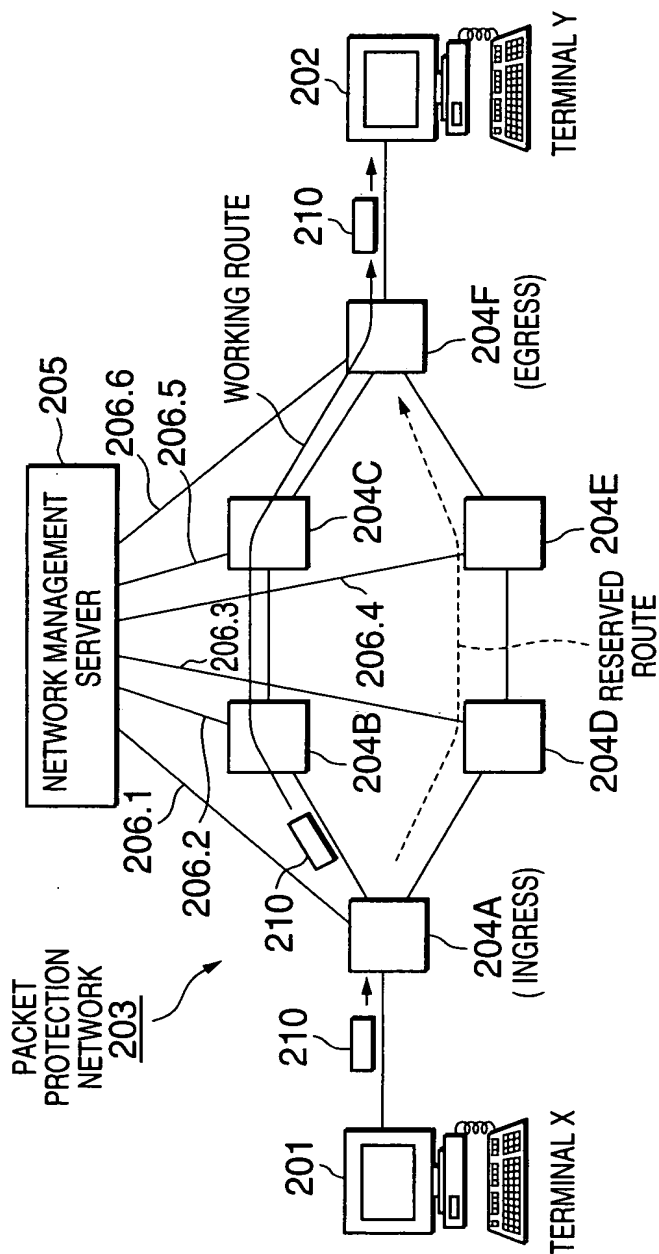


FIG. 1

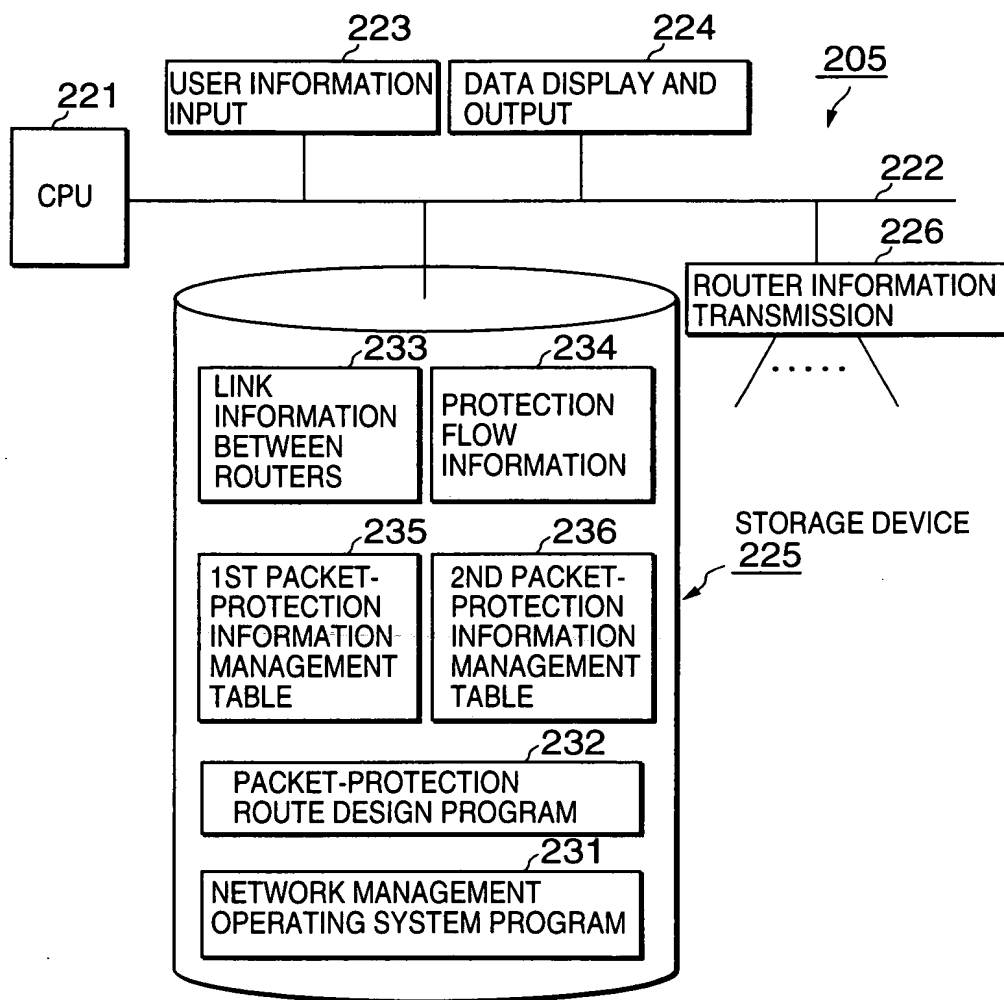


FIG. 2

FIG. 3

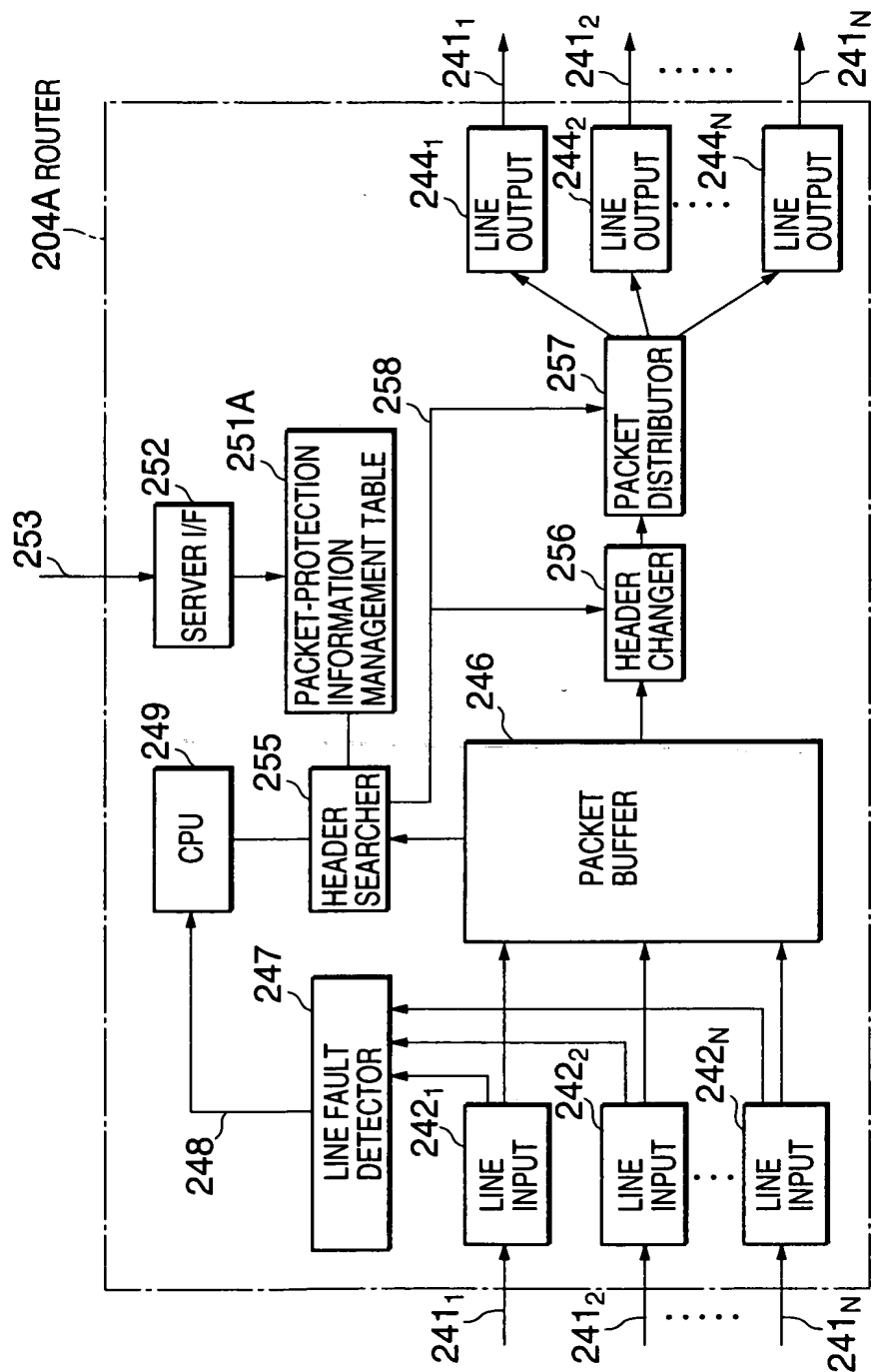
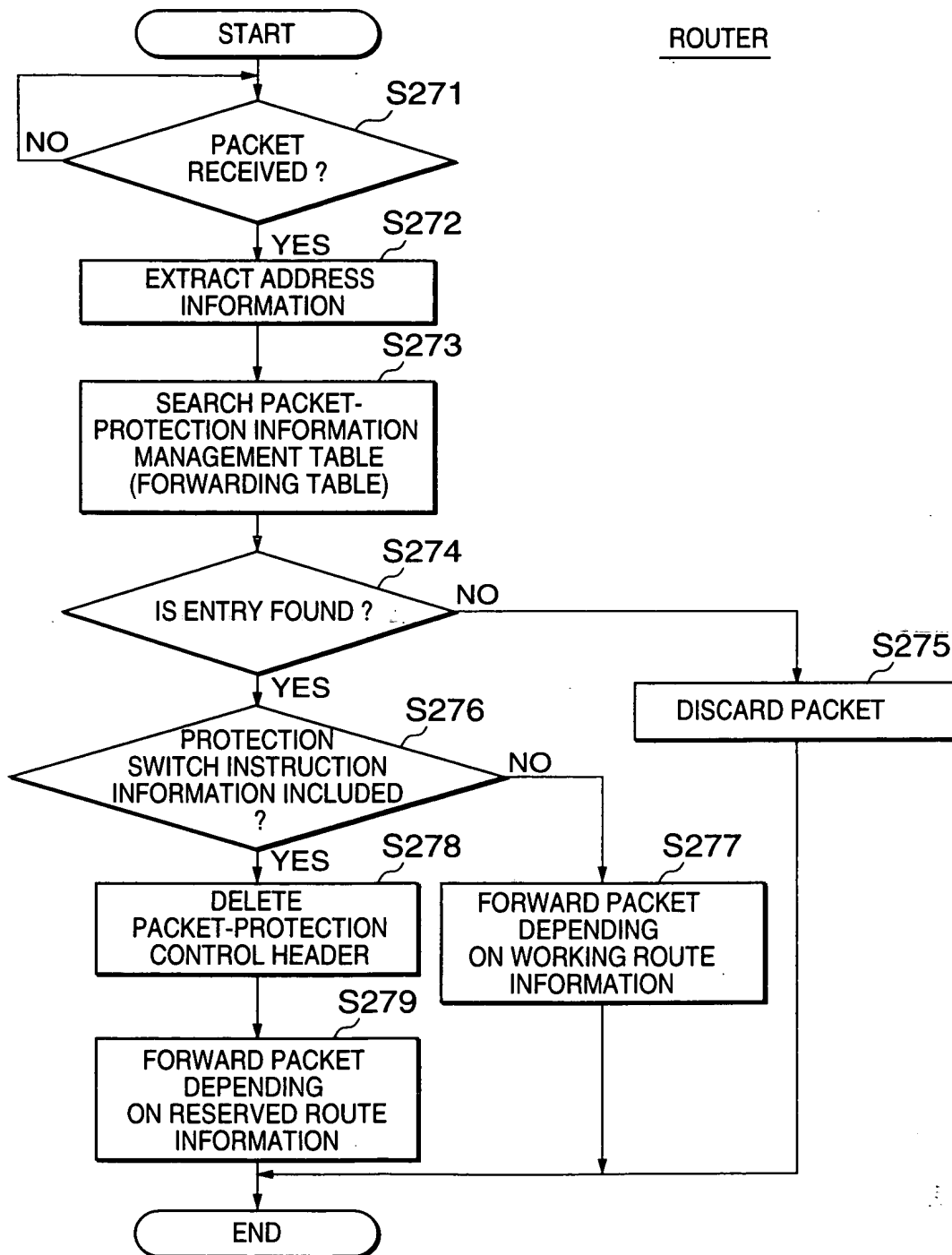


FIG. 4



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FIG. 5

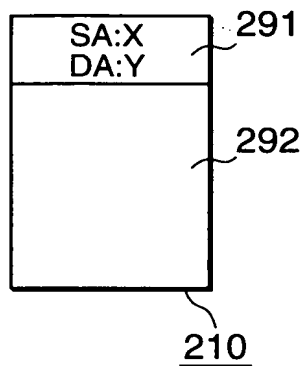


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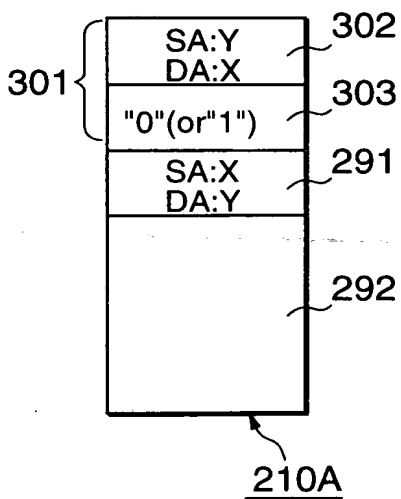


FIG. 7

321 PROTECTED FLOW INFORMATION	322 WORKING ROUTE INFORMATION	323 RESERVED ROUTE INFORMATION
SA:X,DA:Y	B	NONE
SA:Y,DA:X	X	D
⋮	⋮	⋮

251A

FIG. 8

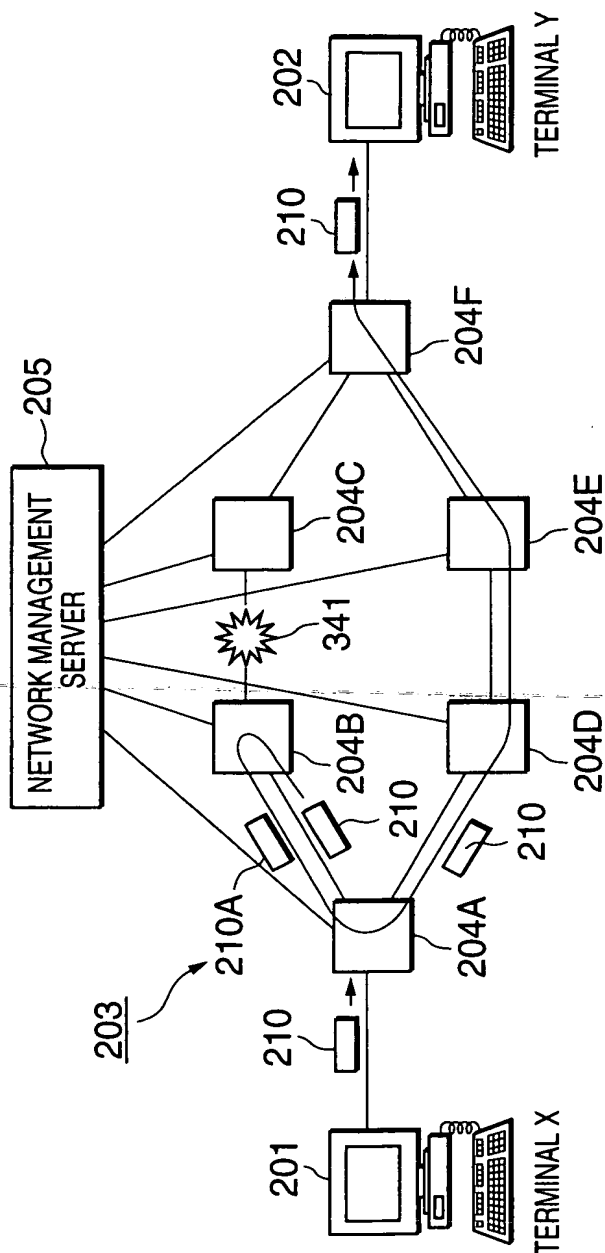


FIG. 9

321 PROTECTED FLOW INFORMATION	325 ROUTE INFORMATION	326 PROTECTION INFORMATION	251B
SA:X,DA:Y	C	YES	
SA:Y,DA:X	A	NO	
⋮	⋮	⋮	

FIG. 10

